

REMARKS

The Notification of Missing Requirements (Notice) mailed June 14, 2006, required submission of an executed declaration and payment of the declaration surcharge. In response, Applicants respectfully submit the executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, a copy of the Notice (Form PCT/DO/EO/905 Formalities Notice) and a check in the amount of \$130.00.

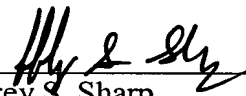
The Notice also required submission of an initial computer-readable form of the sequence listing. In response, enclosed are a diskette containing the computer-readable form of the sequence listing and a paper copy of the sequence listing along with a sequence statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f). Applicant submits that no new matter has been added by the submission of the Sequence Listing. By the foregoing amendment to the specification, Applicant requests entry of the Sequence Listing and further requests that it be considered as part of the specification in this application.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855 (27656/41464).

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Respectfully submitted,

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